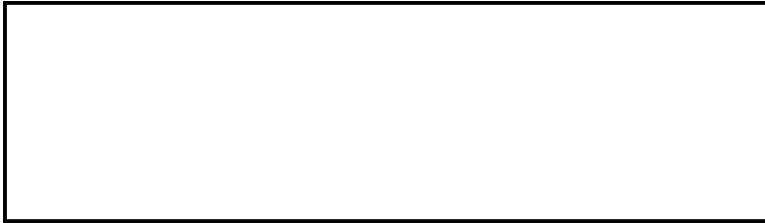


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I am returning herewith the proposed cipher system you sent me. I submitted it to our technical people who examined it in some detail and they have concluded that the proposed system is based on well-known techniques and in order to subject it to an in-depth analysis, we would need to solicit the assistance of NSA which has the mathematical and computational resources needed for such an analysis. I believe you have sent a copy to them and so did not send them the copy you loaned me.

Hope this finds you and yours well. With every good wish,

Faithfully,

Vernon A. Walters
Lieutenant General, USA

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Dear General

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I gave you a book by
Ernst Shaw Cook "The Monte Carlo
Code and Cipher System" - probably
like NSA your people found it
rather old hat compared to
our modern methods such
as I provided you for K once -

Would you return it to
me so that I may conclude
this issue with E. Cook.

Hope we have lunch
on the horizon?

warmest personal regards
Fritz

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